The News-

There is nothing of great moment from the neat of war, but significant indications of collapse are seen in the rebel army and cause. It is alleged that their grand army is actually retrograding, and it is argued that it must now do so, as ten regiments have already been withdrawn for No.th Carolina alone, and well grounded expectations of being urgently called home, prevail among all the cotton state troops,

Nothing is yet positively known of JEFF.

DATIS' fate, and every day of uncertainty strengthens the presumption of his death.

The progress of events in North Carolina continues highly encouraging. The dispatches

speak for themselves. In the few figures we have from the Maine election, and in the particularly few and small figures of the White Feather vote, the Distraction politicians of this state may see their desti-

ny foreshadowed. Very interesting telegraphic, city, and other news, will be found on our first page.

It has just transpired through one of the newspapers in Kentucky, that much more effective communications than is generally supposed have been going on through that state, between the U. S. arsenals and military authorities, and the loyalists of East Tennessee,-General ANDERSON has not been loitering idly about Cincinnati. A Winchester paper says :-"It is understood that 7 000 more guns and two cannon passed through Lexington on Friday night last, intended for the troops at Bryantsville, and to be conveyed to the Gap." And companies of well armed Tennesseeans have begun marching into safe Kentucky quarters in considerable numbers already, under the glorious old flag of their fathers. It is said that whole regiments have been organized and secretly drilled, and by this time are doubtless armed

Attention Requested.

THE Metropolitan Police is a great institution-for good or evil. That is, its powers are extraordinary and enormous. There is no wonder that among a people jealous of liberty, a strong and inveterate opposition should be maintained against the existence of a system which places in the hands of the State Executive, a standing army of picked, organized and drilled officers, holding every foot of ground under patrol, and wielding absolute and arbitrary authority, for police purposes, over every individual, in a district of a million inhabitants Nothing but the extraordinary exigencies of a great and densely crowdel city, rotten to the core of its political organization, could force this community to tolerate such an anomaly among republican institutions. And nothinbut a stern purity, a studious regard to law an rights, and a rigorous accountability for mis-conduct, in the discipline of the force, can preserve such a despotic system from early detruction.

We think that with all its faults, the adminis tration of the State Police system of this city has been in the main wel'-intentioned so far, and productive of vast and increasing good. Under the present Superintendent, the police force is constantly improving, in manners and morals, in physical superiority and character, in gentlemanly appearance and self-respect. We have much and growing reason to feel proud of the appearance and conduct of this fine body of

But this is not enough. Much remains to be done in the way of discipline, which the Superintendent cannot touch, and which the Police Commissioners are unwilling to touch. There is also a settled tendency in the nature of the system towards the two cardinal dangers of corruption and oppression, which must be contended against with sleepless vigor and vigilance by the Commissioners, if they would perpetuate the existence and usefulness of their department of public service. By making it as perfect, as beneficent, and as harmless, as it is possible for a human administration to be, they can secure it in public favor, against all the efforts of demagegues for ever. By allowing it to degenerate in personal character and discipline, or to become arbitrary, oppressive to individual liberty, and practically irresponsible, they can arouse a hatred against it which will know no bound and will listen to no plea or argument for it continued existence

Our purpose in these remarks is one of warn ing-very serious and pointed warning. The dangers we have indicated are actually rife both in the nature and present administration of the system. To a certain extent the tendency to corruption and oppression is in fact realized already, and must be arrested, or in its ultimat progress we shall lose one of two things; either our admirable police system, or our personal liberties. Evidences not unfrequently tran spire, of gross misconduct and abuse of power by pelicemen, sustained in the Board of Police Commissioners by the grossest favoritism, and sometimes by a stolid and supercilious absolutism.

One of these evidences we are about to brin before the public, in the threafold interest of private rights, of public liberty, and of an officient and permanent police. It is our purpose to watch these men who rule over u with such a fearful authority, more sharply and censoriously, and keep them rigo ously on their defence before the people for everything in their official conduct right or wrong, which is not open, clear, and above suspicion. We shall begin tomorrow. with a story of recent outrage which will make the ears of every one that hears it to tingle This outrage, not only unredressed but sustaine by the spirit of favoritism or absolutism in the Police Board, ought to move the million inha bitants of the Metropolitan District-nay, th people of the whole state, if necessary-as on man, to demand redress and punishment through the removal of the whole Police Boars if they refuse it, and if that be refused, through a revolution in the Executive of the state itsel

National Financial Interests. Some of the Banks-none of which are ab to supply a currency to circulate between differ ent sections of the country-are disposed to tr the doz-in-the-manger policy of obstructing the irculation of the demand Treasury Note. Several lots were received in Wall street yester day from Western banks which are trying t drive them home for redemption, in order to keer the field to their own half-discredited issues. The result is easy to foresee. The Western people knowing the superiority of the Government notes, will only take them the more freely fo the opposition of their banks. The banks b gathering them up for redemption, will only heighten their credit, and the faster they are redeemed, the faster they will be paid out, and polders will be the less willing to deposit then in exchange for the under-par notes of banks In short, when a currency of undoubted credit redeemable in coin to any amount, and at par i every corner of the Union, is given to the pub lic, a war upon it by banks of inferior credit will

only strengthen and stimulate its circulation. Some of our city banks being disposed to take a narrow view of their own circulation interests. gin this connection, a meeting of city bank offi core has been called to consider the matter. I is hoped that the illiberal disposition will be disnanced, as the circulation of banks like those of New York can suffer very little at home_ erhere it is all employed from any competition,

The applications for 7,30 Treasury notes by mail were very large yesterday—much heavier than on any previous day—showing an increas-ing demand from the people of the country, who are beginning to understand more fully the advantages of this loan, and the method of subscribing to it.

A PARAGRAPH in the Baltimore Clipper refers to the transit of "Dr. DAVIES of the New York Sun," en route for Washington with the model of a new ambulance, &c. Our contemporary has been imposed upon in a slight particular. "Dr. DAVIES" has no connection, direct or indirect, with this paper. The Clipper and any other papers in Baltimore and Washington who are unfriendly to the practice of assuming fictitious relations to the press, would do us a favor by copying this disclaimer.

THE CORRECTION LINES SUIT .- The "great case" of LITTLEJOHN against GREELEY came on at Pulaski, Oswego County, yesterday, WEED, OPDYKE, GEO. LAW, and other magnates of the lobby are called as witnesses to prove the corruption charges myle against LITTLEJOHN, and the richest kind of developments of Albany practice are expected from the

trial. THE LATEST NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE N. Y. SUN.

War Movements, &c.

From Washington.

Progress of Events in North Carolina. TEN REGIMENTS RECALLED FROM VIRGINIA.

Commander Roan has written a letter to the ceretary of the Navy, dated "United States Steamer Pawnee, Hatteras Inlet, Sept. 5th," from which the following is an extract: "In a communication addressed to the Com. nauder-in Chief at Hampton Roads, I informed

him that I forwarded seven of the fugitives in the Peabody to be landed at Hampton Roads, supplying them with provisions to last them there. Another of the fugitives of this party I have retained to act as pilot in these waters, bould his services be required." From the best information I can obtain ten

giments have been recalled from Virginia to efend the state. The secessionists residing near he water are deserting their residences and ecking shelter in the interior. The poorer lases remain, waiting for protection to avow heir Union sentiments.

A town meeting was called in Washington, C. C., on the night of the 1st inst., when it as decided to fortily a point in the river, ten niles below the town,

"INVASION" A BLESSING Washington, Sept. 9,-The Post Muster General has directed the mail facilities to be restored to Paducob, Ky., that town now being in pessession of Federal troops, and the mails there no longer tampered with by secessionists. TRYING TO SUPPLY THE DEMAND.

Col. Lamon has been authorized to raise a

brigade of Virginia and other troops, and has already made arrangements for properly equip-

ping them. Parden of Wm. Scott.

Parton of Win. Scott.

Washington, Sept. 9.—Maj. Gen. McClellan
has issued the following ord r:

Headquaktees of the Anmy of the Portonac, Washington, S. pt. 8, 1861.

Private William Scott, of Company K., of
the Third Regiment of Vermont Volunteers,
having been found guilty by Court Martial of
alcounter on his rose, while sentingle on midel deeping on his post while a sentinel on guard, has been sentenced to be shot, ar sentence has been approved and ordered sentence has been approved and ordered to be executed. The commanding efficers of the brigade, the regiment and the company of the condenned, to ether with many other officers and privates of his regiment, have carnestly appealed to the Major General commanding, to spare the life of the offender, and the President of the United States has expressed a wish that as this is the first condemnation to death in this army for this crime, mercy may be extended to the criminal. This fact viewed in coanse ion with the inexperience of the condemnation as officer, his previous good conduct and general good character, and the argent entretties made in his behalf have determined the Major General communing to grant the pardon so connective prayed for have determined the Major General communiing to grant the pardon so cames by prayed for.
This act of elemency must not be understast as
affording a precedent for any future case. The
duty of a sentinel is of such a maure, that its
neglect by sleeping upon or deserting his post
may endanger the safety of a communit or even
of the whole army, and all nations affix to the
offence the penalty of death. Private William
Scott, of Company K, of the Third Regiment
of Vermont Vehinteers, will be released from
confinement and return to dary.

By command of
Major General McCleilay.

S. Williams, Assi, Adjutant General.

S. Williams, Assl. Adjutant General. Scott was to have been shot this morning. The pardon was read to the regiment, which heartily expressed its gratification at this act of

lemency. SHOOTING AFFARE. At the camp of Col. Young's regiment of Kentucky cavalry, on Sunday at noon, a soldier named Hebdersen shot another soldier named Walter, while performing daty as a guard. Suggent Joseph H. Bryson was the officer of the day, and owing to his presence of mind and decision discipline was secured to the camp. Walter fell at the feet of Bryson, who immediately disarmed Henderson of his revolver and had him put under guard. Bryson then attended to the wounded sentinel, who is now at the Washington Hospital. Walter was shot under the right ear. The hall lodged in the left side of his jaw. There is no prespect of his recovery.

CAVALRY MAJOES. The War Department has issued an order that volunteer cavalry regiments of tradve cor-panies shall have three Majors, and regimen of from eight to ten companies, two Majors i stead of one only as heretofore.

From the Potomac. The Rebels Fortifying. Washington, Sept. 9.—The rebels are at work today on two new batteries commanding the Leesburg turnpike. Leesburg turnpike.

Four regiments of the enemy's troops are one camped on the bank of a difficult creek near the Potomac. They are surveying another hill, which overlooks one of our encampments, will the evident intention of fertifying it. 953

The Maryland Traitors.

Washington, Sept. 9.—The Baltimore seces-donists are very angry at the federal authoritie or prohibiting the wearing of any secession em

Major Alexander has escaped from Fort Menry, and General Dix has prohibited any further communication with the remaining prisoners at that post, A CASE FOR REMOVAL.

The United States District Attorney in Mary land takes no steps to confiscate the property of Maryland men who are new flighting in Viaginia against the government. He is openly accused of sympathy with the rebuls,

Montgomery County, Md., Sept. 7.—The rebels keep up an almost daily firing on our men at the ferries, and at times make demonstration-as if they intend to cross. Yesterday there was heavy cannonading at Edward's Ferry. This may be their plan of drawing attention from the works which are said to be in progress on the Ferry road leading to Leesburg. Gen. Banks division is ready at all times to maye in any direction at a moments notice. nove in any direction at a moment notice.

Another Candidate for Fort Lafayette. Waverly, N. Y., Sept. 9.—Hon. Nathan Bristel, ex-State Senator, and member of the Committee authorized by the act of the Legis-Committee auth-rized by the act of the Legislature to audit certain accounts not within jurisdection of the State Auditor, well known for his second proclivities, was waited on last night and treated with a serenade. The music consisted of a horse fiddle, tin pans, &c. He was burned in effigy, and afterwards buried in effigy in the grave yard. There was considerable excitement.

POSTSCRIPT

Distraction Nomination Declined!

The Independent People's Union Conven-

Syracuse, Sept. 9.—The Independent People's Convention to assemble tomorrow, bids fair to have quite a large attendance. There are a good number of delegates and outsiders here already, and nearly all hetel rooms are bespoken for tomorrow. No conjecture can be formed as to the probable action of the Convention, as there is no recognized head and all is at

Briggs, Kings,
The Dickinson men and Greeley Republi-

The Maine State Election.

Portland, Sept. 9.—The annual state election Maine took place today. The following is

in Maine took place today. The the principal the vote for Governor in some of the principal

Union War Meeting in Panenil Hall, Bos-

Hoster, Sept. 9.—The grand Union War Meeting in Fancul Hall, this afternoon, was an immense success. The galleries were crowded at an early hour, a great proportion of the number being balles; and long before the hour appointed for the meeting, the Hall was closely packed with a dense mass, while all the approaches to it were crowded with thousands unside to gain an advisors. The old "gradles" as

proaches to a were crowded with moustons unable to gain an audience. The old "cradle" was never so beseiged before. The meeting was composed of representations of an parties. It was the whole people in council, united for the prosecution of the war and the restoration of the diag over every inch of the Union.

It was called to order by Col. A. O. Brewster, the intercept of the council of the council of the council of the council of the Union.

It was called to order by Col. A. O. Browster, who in the course of his remarks said; "The doors of Fancuil Hall are tenight onen to all, irrespective of party, or birth, or religion. He claimed high bonots for that Massachusetts Major General, who returns from Hatteras with his brow garlanded with victory; honors for our noble Senator Wilson; honors for the eloquent and patrio ic Holt, of Kentucky, for the trave and fearless Dickinson, of New York; to George B. McClellan, the man for the hour; to the veteran Stringham, and honor and thiree bonor and all honor to the Irish patriot, Thomas

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More Seigures under the Confiscation Act.

Laston, Sept. 9 -Gen. Butler left here for

Washington in the morning train, in obeliers to a telegram from the War Department.

The New Jersey Sixth Regiment.

Treaton, Sept. 9.—The Sixth Regiment Newsey Volunteers, Col. Hatfield, will leave for

A part of the 7th Regiment is also here, and rapidly filling up

Foreign Intelligance.

Six Bays Later from Europe.

Arrival of the Africa off Cape Race.

St. Johns, N. P., Sept. 9.—The Royal Mail deamship Africa, from Liverpool, August 31st, via Queenstown, September 1st, arrived off Cape Race at bail-past 6 o'clock, this morning. She was boarded by the news yacht of the Associated

'ress, and the following summary of news ob-

The dates per the Africa are six days later than those already received.

Great Britain.

The London Globe amounces that the army in Canada is about to be reinforced by 22,500 men, during the month. [Probably 2,500.]

The Times editorially calls on the government to strain every nerve to develope the cultivation of cotton in India. Elsewhere it says that it believes there will be no lack of will to assist the enterprise on the part of the government, if the merchants and manufacturers will point out the way. The government will waive all scruples when the prosperity of the country and the existence of millions are at stake.

The Daily News in an article on fugitive layes, concludes that the Federal cause is neaceforth to be clearly identified with the ab-dition of slavery! [The News is laboring hard o make the Union popular in England—hence his assumption.1

this assumption. | Queen Victoria had left Ireland for Bal-moral.

West India advices had been received (via

France.

Wheat and corn are to be admitted into the

Italy.

Hangary.

The Hungarian question continued to be de-bated in the Lower House of Reichsrich. The Upper House had agreed upon an address to the Emperor, who expressed his sincere atta-faction at the patriotic sentiments thereof.

Russia.

A deputation from Finland, en route facilities de la contraction from Russian from Russ

Steckholm to demand separation from Russ had been arrested by the Russian authorities.

Poland.

A new rescript by the Emperor of Russia the Governor of Poland is very conciliatory i

Commercial Intelligence Per Africa.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET, -Sales of col

ton for the week 120,000 bales, at an a ivance of 1-16a/kd, per point. Prices, 884d, to 9 ad. The market closed buoyant at the advance. The total stock in part is estimated at 887,000 bales including 558,000 bales of American.

The Emperor Napoleon has gone to B

ports of France, temporarily, free of duty

England) stating that the privateer Sumter had taken and sunk forty vessels, causing great ex-

WASHBURNE, JAMERSON, DANA,

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War Dem, Peace De

cities and towns :

Saco. 627 Biddeford 699 Waterville 399

4338 144

Rockland .

Thomaston ...

Brunswick

Lewiston.... 687

Albany, Sept. 9 .- Hon, LYMAN TREMAINE has declined the nomination of the Syracuse Democratic Convention for Attorney General .-He goes for a suspension of party strife, and a united and unconditional war against treason, and believes his views not in harmony on this question with those of the Convention.

Maine Election. SECOND DISPATCH.

to the probable action of the Convention, as there is no recognized head and all is at loose ends. Every one, however, expresses the intention to put a ticket into the field in advance of the Republican Convention which is to assemble Wednesday, and in expectation that it will be endorsed by that body. Norninations are eagerly sought, but much depends on the character of the delegates, and their firmness in withstanding outside pressure. Among well known persons present are D. B. Ogden, Farmer Abell, Hugh J. Hastings, Wm. Duer, Thomas George Opdyke, of New York; B. Carroll, Saml. A. Law, Delaware; Judge McKean, Jas. R. Thompson, of Monroe; Houldings, Kings.

The Diskinger, men and Comban Resident Provides We have retarns from 71 towns, which give 1861. 1960.
Washburne 20,343 26,065
Jmeson 8,151 Dem. 17,671
Dana 5,205 Bell 833 The Union war majority in these towns is 23, cans seem at present to have control of the 885 and will be in the whole state about 60,000).
The Legislature is largely Republic in al-though there will be many Union Democrats elected jointly by the Republicans and Union movement.

Ex-Speaker Alvord is talked of as preciding officer. Samuel A. Law is a candidate for Treasurer, Bruce and Thompson for Canal Commissioners, and Roswell Graves, of Kings, for Democrats.

Kentucky.

State Engineer,
Dickinson is spoken of for Sceretary of State,
a position he is said to prefer to the Court of Ap-Frankfort, Sept. 9—A dispatch from Gen.
Polk to Gov. Magollin, was laid before the
Legislature this evening, the substance of which
was, that he had occupied Columbus and Hickman on account of reliable information that
the Federal Lirces were about to occupy said
voints. Sc. Judges Johnson, Clinton and Shankland, are mentioned for the Cent of Appeals, and Sens-tor Colvin, Wim, Curtis Noyes, Horatio Ballard and Ward Hunt, for Autorney General.

Mr. Dickinson is expected in the morning.

points, &c.
Gen. Pelk proposes that the Federal and Confederate forces shall be simultaneously with-drawn from Kentucky and enter into recognizances to respect the neutrality of that state. Louisville, Sept. 9.—Gen. Anderson arrived here from Frankfert, this evening.

From Washington. Washington, 8 pt. 9.—The Confederate forti-cations on Munson's Holl, three fourths of a nile from Bailey's Cross Roads, have every in-tication of being completed. On Sunday everymeanon of being completed. On Similay every-thing in that vicinity was quiet, but this mon-ing the Confederates opened their concealed bat-teries, throwing shell into the encampment of our pekets at Bailey's Cross Broads. Two of the shell foll short and the third one passed a half mile beyond them, in retaliation for which, our sharp-hosters advanced on their pickets and killed two of their number.

Prom Cairo.

Cairo, Sept. 9.—It is reported that the rebel cross at Commbus, Ky, under Gen. Polk, have accessed to 13 regiments of infantry, with six accessed to 13 regiments of infantry, and three bats. field batteries a siege battery, and three bat-taliens of cavalry. He has a gunboat and three steamers, Jeff, Thompson's force remains at Belmont,

Southern items via Louisville.

Lowisville, Sept. 9 .- Vice President Stephens And spend the fell in Richmond.

The Memphis Archanche of the 8th announces had the steamer Hattford City has been expended by the Federal gualbasis and her entire

Military and Naval Movements.

crew taken prisoners.

ARREST OF AN UNFAITHFUL OFFICER. It is reported that Major Lynde, 1st Infantry

who surrendered 750 regular troops to as infe-ter force of rebels, in New Mexico, has been arested by Capt. Poster, of his own regiment, ed Riffemen,) and sent to Santa Fe for trial, Major Lynde is a native of Vermont, and enter ed the service in 1827.

Ten thousand Prussian muskets will be sent

Previdence, R. L., Sept. 9.—The following versels, owned whoily or in part at the South were seized today, at Newport, by Marshal Sandford: Schooner S. P. Brown, with cargo: schooner Maine Law, no cargo: schooner Wabash, no cargo; and schooner J. R. Balch, no from St. Louis to Cincinnati, to be rifled for the government. They will then be pearly equal any now in use. Cavalry horses are being nt from Cincinnati to St. Louis as rapidly as wible. The contracts in Cincinnati are chief. y for the army; and the horse trade in that ity is therefore very brisk.

The Letsi Batoade is recruiting under the nost favorable at pices. One company has dready been mustered in, and it is expected that Company E., Capt, Wm. Benson, recruitng at 174 South, 438 Pearl and 50 Oak streets, will be mustered in today at 1 P. M., when pay commences. All members of the company are required to be present at headquarters, 17 South street, this morning at 10 o'clock.

THE U. S. gunbeat Keystone State left Baradoes about August 16th, in search of the pri

ateer Sumter. MILITARY EXAMINERS. -The Board of Miliary Examiners still continue their daily san have examined one hundred and sixty appl cants, of whom only fifty-five were rejected. The examinations are not very strict, being conducted more in an instructive form than as a test of capability. Foreign officers presenting certificates of commissions held in Europe, are namely passed without examination. Twenty-three applicants for military positions were passed yesterday, and two rejected.

RECEIPTING .- Recruiting is again very dall. lovernor Mergan was in town yesterday, and held a consultation with his staff, and some lead. g efficers of the new military organizations sign of oncers of the new military organizations, with a view to the adoption of some plan to take initiate the mising of the state's quota, but the east of the r deliberations will not yet be made patche. There are many reasons for the present talk east in recruiting, but probably one of the strongest, if not the strongest, is that so many accounts have been published of the hardship to which yelunteers have been subjected, through either the ignorance or rascallity of their commanding officers, that men are need to commanding officers, that men are afraid tyenture themselves as new victims, but the facis that those very publications have been the cause of removing the evil, and now no soldier are more tenderly cared for than ours.

It ment there.
It was reported that Lord Monk would succeed Sir E. Head as Governor of Canada. THURD RHODE ISLAND RECOMEST.-The Third Rhode Island Regiment, which are rived here Sunday afternoon, disembarked yesterday morning from the steamer Commo dore at Fort Hamilton, expecting to occupy the former camp of the Long Island Regiment Tacy will be sent to Hen-pstrad. The regimen ensists of about 700 men. An important diplomatic circular had been published by Baron Kacasai, esclaiming this the prevaining brigandism near the Nexpolitan provinces is inspired from Rome, and asserting that the government will not paned in its effort-for the unity of Traly.

Cardinal Antonelli is preparing a reply to this circular.

MILITARY CLOTHING .- The inspection of inflitary clothing still continues at the State Quartermaster General's office. The materials of which it is composed are much superior to those furnished some time since, "sholdy" having been effectually tabooed.

CCOUNTERMANDED. - The orders for the dothis circular.

A paraphlet on "Rome," issued in Paris, asserts that if the Papal Government persists in refusing the guarant's offered for the independence of the Holy See, the people of Rome must be appealed to, and that if they elect Yields Emanuel king, the French theeps on the following day will be refleved by the Italian University. parture yesterday of the Washington Gravs and Third Irish Volunteers were counterman d, and bey will remain until further orders PLAN OF THE BRISH BRISADE. - To the Ed PLAN OF THE BISSA BRUSADE,—To the Editor of the Sun is—A statement appeared in some of the Sunday papers that the Turd Irish Regiment would form the first regiment of the Irish Brigade. I beg leave to say that the statement is not erreet; as the regiments of the Irish Brigade are all designated as follows; Ist Regiment to be commanded by Leut, Col. Nugent, of the 69th; 2d Regiment to be raised in Philadelphia; the 5d Regiment to be raised in Roston; the 4th Regiment to be raised in Morrow, and to be commanded by Colonel Thomas Francis Meagher; and the 5d Regiment will consist of two companies of artillery and four o

ousist of two companies of artillery and four or ix troops of cavalry. Col. Meagler having authority from the War and to faste in that Drigado, he has de ignated at the regiment as a show stated. The recruiting offices for the first Regiment are as follows:

A Company—383 Seven b avenue.

B Cor. of Suffolk and Hester sts.
C 114 Avenue A.
D 294 Chatham street.

174 South street, City Hall Park, 106 Mulberry street, 127 Liberty street.

Latest Commercial Intelligence via Queens town.

(Fy Talegraph from Liverpool.)

Liverpool, Sept. 1.—The steamship Africa takes out to America £25,500 in specie. Confiscations .-- The Surveyor of the Port has satisfied himself as to the mode of proceed-The sales of cotton yesterday (Saturday) were ing under the confiscation act, and will imme 10,000 bales, the market closing firm at Friday prices.
BREADSTUFFS.—The market is firm.
Saturday evening. Aug. 31.—Consols closed today at 92 3-4a92 7-8 for money.
AMERICAN STOCKS—Latest sales: Eric shares. 22 2-4a23 1-4; Illinois Gentral shares, 39 1-2a 38 1-2. y libel the vessels which have been seized at

ANOTHER SEIZURE. - The brig Mary McRae. just arrived from Liverpool, was seized yesterday, by order of Surveyor Andrews, nuder the confiscation act.

CITY NEWS.

THE MUTINY ON BOARD THE SHIP RESO LUTE. -Yesterday United States Commissioner Henry, (after hearing the testimony of Captain Freeman and the mate Thompson, by which it appeared that the prisoners had refused to scrub the ship's sides,) remanded the prisoners.

Mr. R. Ogden, counsel for the prisoners moved for their discharge, on the ground that the whole matter was simply a disagreement between the parties, and not in any proper sense

Mr. Andrews, for the District Attorney, said that he thought it would be necessary, upon the testimony, to hold the prisoners. It was a clear case, though the offence was not of so henious a nature as others of the same class which frequently come before the courts.

The Commissioner said he would only decide that a prima facie case, sufficient to warrant the detention of the prisoners, had been made out. The whole matter would go before another commissioner, who would decide it.

The prisoners were remanded, and the examination will probably be continued to lay.

THE TRAITORS ON BOARD THE REVENUE CUTTER JACKSON. - The fourteen men who refused to take the oath of allegiance on Friday last, when they and others of the crew of the revenue cutter Jackson, were paid off, have been drawing pay from the Government for many years, and one has been in the revenue service over eighteen years. They are now confined on board of the Jackson, but will be sent to one of the forts in the course of a day or two. The Treasury Department will see that they are placed where they can be made to work hard without receiving any compensation therefor: and there is a possibility that they may be courtmartialed and sentenced to death for mutipy on board of a United States vessel, The officers all took the oath cheerfully

THE MCMANUS OBSEQUIES -The Executive committee having in charge the arrangements for the McManus o'sequies, met yesterday, at No. 6 Centre street, made some additions to the Committee on Suscriptions, appointed a Committee of Three to make arrangements with the agents of the Irish line of steamers for the transportation of the body, and resolved to enter into communication with citizens of other cities who might desire to act in conjugation with the Committee. They then adjourned until tomorrow, (Wednesday,) at one

don to mend the City Charter met for organition yesterday af ernoon, in the chamber o the Board of Councilmen. A majority (13) of the members were present, when the temporary chairman, Ald Froment, took the chair. The esignation of Hon. Wm. P Havemeyer was

chairman, Mr. E. F. Purdy, reported the list of rules of order, with the recommendation of Wm. M. Evarts for President, and John Hardy for Clerk, Adepted,

A resolution was adopted, inviting the Mayor, members of the Common Council and David T. Valentine, Esq., to communicate to the Comnission their views of the existing defects of he City Charter, and whatever suggestions for heir improvement they may be pleased to mke.

A Special Committee was appointed to report list of Standing Committees. The Commission adjourned till Thursday af-

erneon, at three o'clock, IMPORTANT SLAVER CASE .- In the United states District Court yesterday Judge Betts

gave a decision in the case of the bark Sarah, cized on suspicion of fitting out as a slaver, SUMMERNIGHTS FESTIVAL .- Four German inging societies, the Mozart, Verein, Fidelia n! N. Y. Liedertafel, held a summernights

estival and bail last evening at Tivoli Garden. The entertainment comprised an excellent vocal ed ins rumental concert FIRST GERMAN RIFLES .- A correspondent A. B. F., desires to know the date of the depart-

ure of the 8th Regiment of New York Volun-They left on May 27th for Washington. PILOT COMMISSIONER ELECTED -The term

f service of Messrs, R. L. Taylor, C. H. Marhall and E. H. Morgan, Pilot Commissioners,

BOARD OF ALDERMEN, -A special meeting this Board was held last evening, President lengt in the chair. A series of resolutions were adopted, com

menaing the Honorable Joseph Holt, of entucky, on the patriotic course adopted by m, and appointing a Joint Special Committhe incoder with him, and to tender to him the he pitalities of the city, and the use of the Governor's room in which to receive his friends, A communication was received from the Mayor, transmitting a series of resolutions adopted by the Workingmen's Union, stating that great distress exists among them, and hat they trust the City Government will emdoy as many men as possible on the pure vorks. Referred to a Special Committee.

works. Referred to a 'special Committee, A statement of the condition of the Treasury was received from the Finance Department, showing that there is a balance in the hands of the Chamberlain of \$417,292,36.

A communication was transmitted to the Board by the Comptroller, showing that there has been expended up to August 254, on account of the Croton Water Works Extension and New Reservoir, \$449,167,11, leaving a balance unexpended of \$17,394,91. Referred to the Finance Committee. RELIEF TO FAMILIES OF VOLUNTRESS.

A statement was received from the Comp-troller of the disbur-sments made to families of volunteers from the appropriation of \$100,000 from the 23d of July to the 31st of August. From this it appears that 2,077 families have been relieved, comprising 2,105 adults and 12,802 children; total, 21,957 persons. And that the amount expended is \$103,692. It was placed on file. At this point the President declared the Board journed size die., a quorum not being present

BOARD OF COUNCILMEN. -There was a bar orum in attendance on the session of the oard of Councilmen, last evening, in conse uence of several members being still absent

Petitions were presented of Hose Company 7, for a tender; of Engine Company 48, for a new engine; for the grading of 87th street, between 2d and 3d Avenues; of projecty owners a Reade street, to be repaid a portion of exponse paid by them for paying said street, from Broadway to City Hall Place; of Hook and Ladder Company No. 3, to have \$180 paid for real refue ded them; of H. H. Howard, to be crunded menies advanced by him for badges for Assistant Engineers; of Humane Hose Company 20, for a new carriage; of the Police for Assistant Engineers; of Humane Hose C mpany 20, for a new carriage; of the Police Commissioners, for an addition to station houses in 25d, 5th 11th and 19th Precincts; of Hose 7, to have carriage re-built; of Independent Telegraph Line, for right of way through the arrest, to run fine from Boston to Washington; of L. E. Hicks, to have his now gas burner tried. All of which were referred. An orthography was all state reducing the on-An ordinance was adopted, reducing the appropriation to cover delinquencies in taxes from

& L. 11 painted; to repay amounts received 11. & L. 11 painted; to repay smounts received for hay licenses.

Resolutions were adopted to procure temporary location for Engine Cos. 23 and 25, and new location for Hose 37, and directing the Computerfeller to communicate his knowledge of ferry from foot of Cortlandt street to Staten Island.

Resolutions were referred to fit up basement

Resolutions were referred to fit up basement of H. & L. Co. 14; to fit up house of Hose Co. 40; to paye 39th street, from 5th to 6th avenues,

with Belgian pavement; to advertise for steam engine for Marion Eugine Co. No. 9. Adjourned to Monday next.

Fires, Accidents, Inquests, &co.

EXTENSIVE FIRE IN MURRAY STREET .-Last night shortly after 11 o'clock, a fire was discovered in the third floor of No. 45 Murray street, in the fancy store of Hech & Friendland er. The firemen were promptly on the ground, but notwithstanding their exertions the entire building was destroyed.

The 1st floor was occupied by Lockwood, 'nderhill & Co., whose loss is estimated at 120,000,
The 2nd fleer was occupied by E. S. Wheeler & Co., manufacturer of buttens, their loss is bout \$12,000,
Hech & Friendlander, on the third floor, loss

out \$18,000. Weinstein & Co., dealers in cloths, who occu ed the 4th and 5th floors; loss about \$20,000. The estimated value of the building is \$20,

No 47 Murray street, occupied by several parties, is damaged in the upper stories.

The total loss cannot fall much, if any, short of \$100,000. Owing to the late hour at which the fire occurred, the above are the only particulars which could be obtained.

RUN OVER AND KILLED BY AN EIGHTE AVENUR CAR.-Michael Rooney, a man 4 years of age, who resided in 2d avenue, near 60 h street, was run over and killed on Sunday ever street, was run over and killed on Sunday evening, by car No. 83 of the Eighth avenue R. R.
Co. A few minutes b fore, he had been ejected
from car No. 8, on account of being druck a d
disorderly. He then attempted to get upon the
other car, but fell in advance of the wheels and
was run over and killed. An inquest will be
held upon the body this merning. Bernard
Burns, driver of car No. 83, was arrested and
detained to avail to be described. detained to await the holding of the inquest

FOUND DROWNED .- Coroner Schirmer held an inquest yesterday upon the body of an un known man, about 35 years of age, found drowned in the dock foot of Whitehall street drowned in the dock foot of Whitehall stressed bad dark brown hair, and was dressed in a brown pea jacket, white shirt, light pants and boots. Some fish hooks were found in one of his pockets. The body had been about two weeks in the water. Verdict, "supposed weeks in the water, drowning,"

DROWNED, -The body of James O'Brien native of Ireland, 63 years of age, was found resterday at the clock for of Chambers street, The deceased on Saturday night left his house, No. 8 Caroline street, minus one shoe and his hat and coat, and was not seen again alive. He is supposed to have been slightly deranged, as he set are to his house before leaving it. The flames were, however, extinguished before much damage was done. An inquest will be held upon the body today.

Police Intelligence, &c.

Tim: Col. LATSON CASE. - Justice Kelly ver erday rendered his decision in the case of Major Burtnet and Mr. Mead, charged with a felonious essault upon Col. Latson, of the horse artiflery. Both gentlemen were held to bail in \$500 cash oth gentlemen were held to bail in \$500 c Two others who were concerned in the assaul were held to bail and keep the peace.

A DUEL WITH CHEESE KNIVES. -Two mer named Daniel Tuomey and John Gill got into Park and Worth streets, and agreed to se tle the matter by a duel with knives. They ac-oordingly procured two and adjourned to a back yard in the vicinity, where they fought until Tuomey was badly cut about the head and s. A policeman then came in and arrested a. Gid was locked up in the Tombs and mey was taken to the Hospital. FELONIOUS ASSAULT, -Wm. Harris and Thos.

Wilson, both colored men, got into a fight together yesterday, in Thomas street. Wilson nrew a cap full of sect into his adversary's face and Harris indicted a severe gash in the back of his neck with the edge of a razor. Harris was arrested and locked up, and Wilson was sent o the Hospital. VIOLATING THE SUNDAY LIQUOR LAW.

John Wolf and Henry Hildebrand were arrested yesterday, charged with keeping their public houses, in the 8th Ward, open on Sunday for the sale of liquor, in violation of law. They were held to bail to answer.

DISMISSAL OF A POLICEMAN FOR DISLOYAL TY .- The Police Commissioners yesterday dismissed from the Department policeman John F. Dazette of the 3d Precinct, he having been ound guilty of expressing sentiments disloyal to the U. S. Government. Soveral similar cases have been before the Commissioners, but this is the only instance which has resulted in the expulsion or the party accused.

Court of General Sessions. Before Recorder HOPEMAN.

James Kelly and Thos. Burns two your were convicted vesterday of highway robbery. The circumstances of the case were simply: One James McGwin, on the 2d inst., passed through William street, drank some lager ber, and when he reached Chatham square, felt dizzy, sat down, and fell into a stupor. On awakening he found three or four men, including the prisoners, on and about him, some holding her fast, while

the riffed his pockets. Both were sentenced to ten years' imprisonment.

Two Yare Zouaves, appearing in uniform, were converted the assault and battery, being charged with a beyonet assault on a policeman, and were sentenced, the one named John Kelly to the Penitentiary for four months, and the other, camed Theodite Hudson, for six months, Charles Dumas was sentenced to the State Prison for three years, for a felonious assault with a knife.

Henry Swift, for forgery in the fourth degree,

from Swiff, for forgery in the fourth degree, for passing counterfeits, was sentenced to State Prison for two years.

The Grand Jury presented a batch of new inductions of the sentence of prisoners were arraiced.

BROOKLYN.

FIRE.-An unoccapied house, owned by Mr. John Bradshaw, situated in Butler street, near Franklin Avenue, was discovered to be on fine between two and three o'clock yesterday morning. The flames were speedily extinguished, Damago \$50. An slarm of fire yesterday foremon was caused by the burning of a tar barrel at the foot of Remsen street. Burg LAR ARRESTED. -Officer McMahon, of

the 3d Precipct, discovered a man in the storeof Mr. Harrison, in Henry street, near Hamilof Mr. Darrison, in Renry street, near Daniel ton Avenue, on Monday morning, and took him into custody as he was leaving the premises. The accused grave his name as John Mullaley. He was looked up to await a hearing. The store of Patrick Coyle, in Park Avenue, corner of Clinton Avenue, was feloniously entered on Sunday night and robbed of about fifty dollars in bills and coin. in bills and coin.

WILLIAMSBURGH.

A NEW CHUESH EDSVICE .- LAYING OF FIG. CORNER STONE .- Some three or four hundred persona were assembled yesterday, to participate n the exercises of laying the corner stone of the new edifice of Christ Church. The ceremony of laying the stone was performed by the paster of Christ Church, Rev. A. H. Partridge. This new building when completed will be one of the handsomest church edulees in Williamsof the handsomest church edifices in Williams-burgh. It is situated on Bedford Avenue, im-n.ediately in the rear of Division Avenue. The Lat is 75 by 126 feet, and the building is to be 222 by 70 feet, and 75 feet high, with two lowers. It will have three front entries, and will seat 1200 persons. It is to be built of Bell-eville N. J., stone, under the superintendence of J. H. Gibbs, architect, of New York. It will cost moveards of \$35,000. cost newards of \$35,000. FLYID CASUALTY .-- Mrs. Margaret Meyers, ne.

idlag in Ewing street, E. D., was severely burned on Sunday night by the accidental barsting of a fluid lamp near where she was sitting. Her recovery is considered doubtful.

SEVERE ACCIDENT FROM FIGHTING .- An. drew Simon, residing in South 5th street, E. D., had his arm broken yesterday while fighting with another boy.

FOUND DEAD IN BED .- A little girl 5 week old, the child of Mrs. Ripton, residing in 32 McKibben street, E. D., was found dead in her bed yesterday morning. Coroner Murphy held an inquest upon the body, and a verdict of death rom convulsions was rendered.

THE HATTERAS PRISORERS. Since the Fort Hatterns prisoners have confined on Governors Island, citizens have been allowed to land. The officers are quarte

in the garrison, and the privates in Ca William. The former have liberty of the land, and seem to make the most of it. T have voluntarily given their parole not to ! any communication with outsiders, unless mitted to do so by the commanding officer, (onel Loomis, 5th Infantry, U. S. A.

DISGUSTRO TRAITORS. The other evening the captured officers * on the parade ground listening to the ba which play's fer an hour every night, bel the commanding officers quarters. Sudde the band struck up "Yankee Doodle;" Southerners immediately turned on their h and walked off in great disgust. No offene them was premeditated, as the band was in habit of playing this National air long bel the presence of Southern prisoners was dres of. [Our reporter seems to have an imprethat the performance of patriotic airs at headquarters of a military command of Unite! States, might be, under some circ stances, an affront to traiters confined wit ear shor! He should be ashamed to make apology for such a performance. En. 800

A detachment of recruits enlisted to was transferred to the I-land yesterday. will be put under canvas on the north side the I-land, there not being room in the racks.

dezvous for the mounted service, will be sent Carlisle Barracks, Pa., today. These recru are pushed forward in their drill and sent regiments with the least possible delay.

LIEUT, PHILLIPS, of the First Long Isl

Regiment, now at the seat of war, has opene recruiting office at 166 Fulton street, Brookly One hundred men are required to fill up ranks. Recruits will be sent on in squads ten to join the regiment at Washington. THERP REGIMENT EXCRISION BRIGADS.

squad of recruits were dispatched yesterday Washington by Le it, Pennock, to join this giment. A second squad will follow the lat part of this or first of next week. If he

part of this or first of next week. If her quarters are 600 Broadway.

Howard Mission and Ho me for Live to Howard Mission and Ho me for Live Wandeness, 26 New Bowert — Rev. We to a Me er, Sup., of this mission, starts to La neis on Wednesday of this week, with his 25 c mpany of Little Wanderers, and to visit the whein he has previously located. He is feeding daily over 200, and up to this time to wants of the mission have been most liberal and promptly met.

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Union War Meeting in Fancani, Ital., Bosto
Hon. Benjamin F. Thomas was mamed Predent, and the Mayors of Boston. Charlestow.
Cambrid, c. Roxiury, Chebea, Worcester, Leell, Salemand Lynn, with others to the nurber of 76, as Vice-Freidents.

The President attempted to speak on taking the chair, but by this time the presence of the crowd from without had become so great, it dense mass swaying to and froe like might waves, and he could not be heard. Senat Wilson followed, and met with no better successful the first way the first way to be a first work of the first way to the first way that the first way the first way to be a first way the firs

Wilson followed, and met with no better succes. The jain became insupportable when it wannounced from the platform that a meating would at once be organized outside.

Two yast meetings were at once formed, and the numbers without far exceeded those withing the numbers without far exceeded the service without the aumbers without far exceeded the service without the proceedings were resumed. Judge Lord made an elequent and impressive speech. He said at world never saw such a day as this. All all hepes of humanity, of civilization, of Christian ity, he had alm st said, were bound up in the contest we were waging. While Judge Lord was apasking, the following dispatch was received from Mr. Meagher, which was read amethunders of applause:

"New York. Sept. 9.
"To the Chairman of the Union Meeting Fancuit Hall—I deeply regret the impossibilit of being with the citizens of Missachusetts the evening. The Irish Brigade imperavively tains me here. The cause you defend is all Irish cause. There is no hope for Irish cause. There is no hope for Irish cause if the United States fail to win."

Recaud Frethingham, of the Beston Post, followed, who said, in the coarse of his remain. "The only subjugation we seek a to subjugate the South to the laws which their own ball boxes, their own individualism helped to cate, and," he acked, "is not this constitution liberty?" to which the meeting responded by tremendous and emphatic "Yes."

tremendous and emphatic "Yes."

Senator Wilson made an eloquent appeal former soldiers to sustain our generals. He soldiers were soldiers to sustain our generals. He soldiers we need 150,000 more men in the field. Ge McClelian needs 50,000 men on the Potomac thight, and if he had them the foe would be va quished in a week. Gen. Fremont needs loo o men on the soil of Mesouri, to enable him carry the flag to the Ric Grande. He look for glorious victories on the banks of "th Vather of Waters." Massachusetts, he sai

thirty days.

The meeting adjourned at 10 o'clock. After meeting adjourned at 10 o'clock. passing four brief resolutions embodying thanguage of Hop. Jos Holt, Webster and Bishe Hughes and Andrew Jackson's celebrated e pressions, 'The Union, it must, and shall preserved.

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cived from ar. thunders of applause : "New York, Sept. 9

As the meeting separated rousing cheers we

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